

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

**In re application of:** Blackshear *et al.*

**Application No.** 10/511,362

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**For:** COMPOSITIONS AND METHODS FOR  
DIAGNOSTICS AND THERAPEUTICS FOR  
HYDROCEPHALUS

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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

This amendment is submitted in response to the Office action (Restriction Requirement) dated January 30, 2007, for which a one-month or thirty day period for reply was set, making a response due on or before February 28, 2007. Applicants petition for a one month extension of time and submit the appropriate fee, now making a response due on or before March 30, 2007. If any additional fees are required in connection with filing this document, please charge Deposit Account 02-4550.

Please amend the referenced application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2.

**Remarks** begin on page 9.